

**STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
COUNTY OF BERKELEY**

**PROBATE COURT**

**IN THE MATTER OF**

**CASE NUMBER**

**PETITION FOR**

- ☐ PROTECTIVE ORDER  
☐ APPOINTMENT OF CONSERVATOR

Petitioner: \_\_\_\_\_

1. Nature of interest of undersigned:
2. Information - Minor/Incapacitated Person  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_  
Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone: (Home) \_\_\_\_\_ (Office/other) \_\_\_\_\_
3. Venue for this proceeding is proper in this county because the above minor/incapacitated person:  
☐ resides in this county  
☐ does not reside in this county but has property in this county
4. The name and address of the above person's guardian, if any, is:
5. Information - Family (list nearest relative first), dates of birth of minors:

| Name and Social<br>Security # | Date of Birth | Address | Relationship<br>to Protected<br>Person |
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6. The following is a general statement of the property, assets and income of the above person, together with an estimate of the value thereof: (A full inventory, form #550PC, shall be completed and filed with the Court within thirty days of appointment.)

| Description and location | Value |
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7. The appointment of a conservator for the above person is necessary because (state reasons justifying appointment):

8. I request the appointment of:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone (O): \_\_\_\_\_

(H): \_\_\_\_\_

whose priority for appointment as conservator for the above person is as follows:

- ☐ fiduciary appointed or recognized by the appropriate court of any other jurisdiction in which the protected person resides
- ☐ individual or corporation nominated by the protected person (if fourteen or more years of age and deemed mentally capable of making such choice)
- ☐ attorney in fact appointed by protected person (SCPC 5-501)
- ☐ spouse of protected person
- ☐ adult child of protected person
- ☐ parent of protected person or person nominated by will of deceased parent
- ☐ other relative of protected person (specify):
- ☐ person nominated by the person who is caring for protected person or paying benefits to him/her
- ☐ nominated by one with priority to serve in his/her stead (specify):
- ☐ Other (specify):

9. The following persons are required by statute to be given notice of the time and place of hearing on this Petition:

| Name | Address | Relationship |
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10. I request that the Court set a time and place of hearing on this Petition; that the Court determine that the above person is a person for whom appointment of a conservator is proper; that the Court appoint [v] as the conservator for the above minor/incapacitated person; and that Letters of Conservatorship be issued to the conservator.

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### VERIFICATION

The undersigned, being sworn, states: That the facts set forth in the foregoing statement are true to the best of the undersigned's knowledge, information and belief.

SWORN to before me this \_\_\_\_\_  
day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone (O): \_\_\_\_\_

(H): \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public for South Carolina  
My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_

Attorney: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

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### ORDER FOR HEARING

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that a hearing on this matter be set for:

DATE:

TIME:

PLACE:

Pursuant to SCPC Section 1-401, the petitioner is ordered to give notice of this hearing to all interested persons at least twenty (20) days prior to the hearing date.

Executed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Francis M. Kirk  
Probate Court Judge

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**ORDER OF APPOINTMENT**

After hearing, the Court finds that venue is proper, that the required notices have been given or waived, and

- ☐ that the proposed protected person has assets requiring protective proceedings.  
☐ that he/she is a person for whom appointment of a conservator is proper, and that the appointment of a conservator will be in his/her best interests.

**THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:**

(Enter protective order here)

(Strike following paragraph if not appointing a conservator)

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the Court appoints |v as the conservator of the estate and affairs of the protected person and directs the issuance of Letters of Conservatorship to the conservator as follows:

Bond is set in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_.

The conservator shall not pay compensation to himself/herself from assets of the estate without Court approval.

Executed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Francis M. Kirk  
Probate Court Judge

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**QUALIFICATION AND STATEMENT OF ACCEPTANCE**

I accept this appointment and agree to perform the duties and discharge the trust of the office of Conservator of the conservatorship of \_\_\_\_\_.

Executed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.

SWORN to before me this \_\_\_\_\_  
day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone (O): \_\_\_\_\_

(H): \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public for South Carolina  
My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_

Attorney: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_